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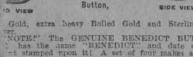
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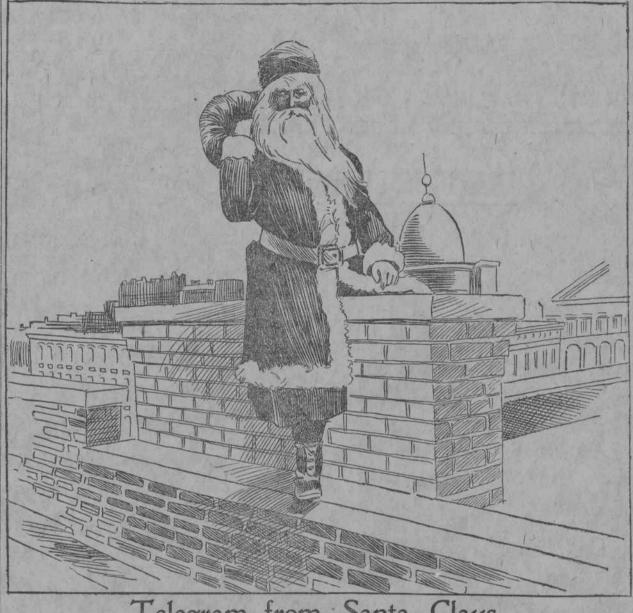
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Utopia, Dreamland, Dec. 7, 1899.

My Dear Mr. Cammeyer:

A year has nearly passed since I was at your beautiful store last Christmas. I had a grand time with the children, and never met a prettier, healthier, happier lot. Your shoes evidently have a great deal to do with keeping them thus healthy and happy. I carefully examined your children's shoes, both on and off their feet, and I was delighted with them—they are by far the best I have ever seen in any part of the world. No parent should think of buying any others for their childres, but yours.

I will start immediately, as the presents are so many and weigh so much that my reindeers cannot travel very fast, and they will have to rest now and then on the way. I will be at your store positively Saturday morning, Dec. 9th, at nine o'clock, and will remain until Christmas Eve.

My best compliments to you and to all your children customers. Tell them to watch for me, as I will have a present for each of them.

Ever your admiring friend,

SANTA CLAUS.

Alfred J. Cammeyer, 6th Ave., cor. 20th St.

# CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS.

With the return of the holiday season we again present the greatest stock of these serviceable goods and most sensible of presents to be found anywhere in the wide world under one roof. Slippers for every use—for home and opera, for carriage and reception, for balls and parties. Slippers for all men, for all women, misses and boys, and the babies. None are too old—none are too young. None are so beautiful, brilliant, bright and attractive, none are so domestic, quiet and retiring but that we have slippers for all, slippers that stop the noise of the stamping boys and keep the "Governor" of the family happy and contented by his

PENEDICT BROTHERS, of Broadway and tlandt Street, have for the HOLIDAYS a fine decreased stock of choice Diamonds to ther Gents, Pine Gold Jewelry, Sterling Sil-Goods, etc. Attention is called to our sergerates of TIME KEEPING WATCHES, all in especially for our house and bearing our men's Plack, Brown and Chestnut Alligator Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Tan and Black Kid Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers. 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers 2.00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers 2.00 Men's Calf O Men's Russet Real Alligator Opera Slippers..... 2,00 Men's Black Kid and Tan Russia Calf Opera Slippers..... 1,50 Men's Black and Russet Real Alligator Opera Slippers. .... 1,50 Men's Tan and Black Kid Opera Slippers. .... 1.25 Men's Brown Kid Creole Slippers, with Elastic Sides..... 2.50 Men's Black and Brown Kid Opera Slippers..... 1.00 Men's Brown and Black Kid Creole Slippers, Elastic Sides. 2.00 Men's Seamless Patent Leather Pump, Cornell Toe...... 3.00 Perfect Collar and Cuff Men's Black and Brown Kid Creole Slippers, Elastic Sides. 1.25 Men's Patent Leather Pump...... 2.00 Gold, extra heavy Bolled Gold and Sterling Boys' Brown Real Alligator Slippers. ..... 1.50 Misses' Black and Red Goat Slippers, sizes 11 to 131/2..... 1.25 Gold, extra heavy Rolled Gold and Sterling more and sterling more. The GENUINE BENEDICT BUT has the name "BENEDICT" and date of the sterling more and plack Kid Opera Slippers. 1.25

Boys' Russet Goat and Black Kid Opera Slippers. 1.25

Child's Tan Calf Slippers, sizes 6 to 10½. 1.00

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Child's Red Goat Slippers, sizes 6 to 10½. 1.00 Women's Hand Knit Worsted Slippers, colors Blue, Pink, White and Black, per pair......50 

On and after Saturday, Dec. 9, at 9 o'clock in the morning Santa Claus will be at our store in the children's department with a present for each child. Illustrated Catalogue Mailed Free on Application.

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## Offer the Following Special Values This Week:

Millinery Bargains.

Trimmed Felt Cloth HATS, a large and choice selection, that were \$2.48 to \$3.48, MARKED 98c EACH.

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Silk VELVET HATS, trimmed with rich ma-terials in accordance with the latest ideas of WORTH \$7.00 4.98 EACH. TO \$10.00; at 4.98

Children's Felt Hats. Children's plain or fluted brim FELT FLATS, also ruffled brim FELT FLATS, all colors, re-cently 69e. MARKED 10c EACH.

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Children's Reefers, 6

Misses' Jackets, 14, 16 and 18 Years, box front, satin lined throughout, in fine kersey, in blue, black, castor and 4.98 Holiday Specials in Black tan, at...

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Children's Dress, 6 to 14 Years, in an excellent quality of fancy mixed sulting and a variety of handsome plaids, trimmed with braid and cashmere in contrasting 1.48



Ladies' Golf Capes,

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In Ladies' Plush Capes. in Ladies' Plush and Velour CAPES, lined with heavy yarn-dyed satin, with edging of sable fur, splendid values,

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MEN'S FANCY PERCALE SHIRTS, with cross or vertical stripes on bosoms, separate pair of cuffs: an immense range of new patterns

AT 74C AND 94C EACH. MEN'S AND BOYS' UTICA NONPAREIL MUSLIN SHIRTS, unlaundered, linen bosoms, open back, several sleeve lengths, exceedingly well made, att sizes, 12 to 17 1-2.

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Men's Australian Wool SHIRTS, in white, natural and red: soft as silk and just as comfortable to wear; DRAWERS to match, all sizes, 30 to 50, AT 1.48 EACH.

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Bleached LINEN DAMASK, 72 Inches 49c wide, the yard.

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Fur Jackets, shape and finish equal to the finest Garmenis made,

Ladles' JACKETS, in Capatia seal, 24 inches long, box front, large storm collar, lined with heavy yarn dyed 20.00 Ladies' FUR JACKETS, in fine electric seal, lined with an extra fine and heavy quality of yarn dyed satin, box front large revers and large storm 35.00

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Ladies' and Children's

Useful Hollday Presents in

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Dress Goods Patterns DRESS PATTERNS in black cheviot 3.49 and storm serge, fine wool fabrics, at 3.49 

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Ladies' double sole fast black Cotton HOSE, with unbleached split feet, or unbleached feet, or solid bjack: a very durable Hose, 6 for \$2.85,

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500 pairs of Lace Curtains, Manufacturers' Samples, in one and two pair lots, less than half price.
Ruffled Swiss Musin Curtains, the pair only

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